

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	
OF SILVER RUN ELECTRIC, LLC	)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC	)	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO BEGIN	)	
BUSINESS AS AN ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION	)	PSC DOCKET NO. 18-0945
UTILITY AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE	)	
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES IN DELAWARE	)	
(FILED JULY 3, 2018)	)	

**ORDER NO. 9257**

**AND NOW**, this 7th day of August 2018, the Delaware Public Service Commission ("Commission") determines and orders the following:

**WHEREAS**, on July 3, 2018, Silver Run Electric, LLC ("Silver Run" or the "Company") filed an application ("Application") with the Commission pursuant to 26 *Del. C.* § 203E(b) seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to begin the business of an electric transmission utility authorized to provide transmission facilities in Delaware; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with 26 *Del. C.* § 203E(c), the Commission shall act on this Application within 90 days of the submission of a completed application; except, for good cause shown, and if it finds that the public interest would be served, the Commission may extend the date of its action for an additional period not to exceed 90 days; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with the procedures set forth in subchapter III of Chapter 101 of Title 29, as incorporated by 26 *Del. C.* § 203E(f), the Commission provides public notice of Silver Run's Application so as to allow for intervention in this docket and provide the public the opportunity to comment; and

**WHEREAS**, in determining whether to grant the CPCN, the Commission shall consider:



(1) Whether PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (or its successor) ("PJM") has selected the applicant to develop or own transmission facilities included in the regional transmission expansion plan approved through PJM's Federal Energy Regulatory Commission-approved developer qualification and competitive procurement process, or if such PJM approval has not occurred:

a. The demonstrated experience, operating expertise, and long-term viability of the applicant or its affiliates, partners, or parent company;

b. The need for and impact of any transmission facilities proposed by the applicant on the safe, adequate, and reliable operation or delivery of electric supply services; and

c. The engineering and technical design of any transmission facilities proposed by the applicant;

(2) The impact of granting the certificate of public convenience and necessity application on the State's economy and the benefits to the State's ratepayers; and

(3) The impact of granting the certificate of public convenience and necessity application on the health, safety, and welfare of the general public.

(26 Del. C. § 203E(b)(1)-(3)).

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE AFFIRMATIVE  
VOTE OF NOT FEWER THAN THREE COMMISSIONERS:**

1. Pursuant to 26 Del. C. § 203E, the Commission will act on Silver Run's Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to begin the business of an electric transmission utility authorized to provide transmission facilities in Delaware within 90 days from the filing date or by October 1, 2018.

2. Silver Run shall publish the form of notice, attached hereto as Exhibit "A," in the following newspapers, on the designated dates, in two-column format outlined in black:

August 9, 2018 - The News Journal; and

August 10, 2018 - Delaware State News.



Silver Run shall file in this docket affidavits of publication of the notices not later than two weeks after the August 10, 2018 publication.

3. Interested persons may file petitions for intervention, written comments, or objections to Silver Run's Application ***on or before August 30, 2018***. If material written comments or objections are filed, or if Staff finds that the 90-day requirement cannot be met, the Commission will determine, by further Order, the course of any further proceedings.

4. Silver Run is hereby notified that it will be charged the costs of this proceeding under 26 Del. C. § 114(b)(1).

5. The Commission reserves the jurisdiction and authority to enter such further Orders in this matter as may be deemed necessary or proper.

**BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:**

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Chair

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Commissioner

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ATTEST:

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Secretary



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If you wish to file written comments or objections, ***you must do so on or before August 30, 2018.*** If you want to formally participate as a party in this matter, with the right to present evidence and be represented by counsel, you must file with the Commission a written petition asking for leave to intervene in accordance with the



requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (26 Del. Admin. C. § 1001-2.9) **on or before August 30, 2018**. All written comments, objections, or petitions for leave to intervene must be sent to the Commission's address:

Public Service Commission  
861 Silver Lake Blvd.  
Cannon Bldg., Suite 100  
Dover, DE 19904  
Attn: PSC Docket No. 18-0945

Petitions filed after the deadline of August 30, 2018, will not be considered except for good cause shown.

You are invited to review Silver Run's filing and supporting documents to determine how your interests may be affected. You may review documents posted on the Commission's website in the DelaFile E-filing system located at <https://delafile.delaware.gov/> using docket number 18-0945. If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Donna Nickerson at [donna.nickerson@state.de.us](mailto:donna.nickerson@state.de.us) to arrange a time for your review. You may also review copies of Silver Run's filing and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at the Carvel State Office Building, 4th Floor, 820 North French Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, or 29 South State Street, Dover, Delaware, 19901. Please call (302) 577-5077 (Wilmington) or (302) 241-2545 (Dover) to arrange for a time to review the documents at those locations.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, please submit a Freedom of Information Act Request Form. This form may be found at <https://delaware.gov/topics/foia>.



There is also a link to the Freedom of Information Act Request Form on the Commission's website at [http://delaware.gov/help/foia\\_request.shtml](http://delaware.gov/help/foia_request.shtml). The Commission will respond to your request in accordance with the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del. C. ch. 100.

If you have a disability and wish to participate or review the materials in this matter, please contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services you might need to help you. You may contact the Commission in person, by writing, by telephone (including text telephone), by Internet e-mail, or other means.

If you have questions about this matter, you may call the Commission at 1-800-282-8574 (toll-free in Delaware) or (302) 736-7500 (voice and text telephone). You may also send questions regarding this matter by Internet e-mail addressed to [connie.mcdowell@state.de.us](mailto:connie.mcdowell@state.de.us).